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In re Application of:)
Takeshi FUKUDA et al.) Group Art Unit: 1617
Application No.: 09/834,651) Examiner: Lauren Q. Wells
Filed: April 16, 2001)
For: FLAKY α -ALUMINA PARTICLES)
AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING)
THE SAME)

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AMENDMENT

In reply to the final Office Action dated January 29, 2003, the time for response having been extended for one (1) month by the Petition for Extension of Time and fee filed concurrently herewith, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, please amend the claims as presented below.

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